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Applicant

: Darryl J. C. PAPPIN : January 27, 2004

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AMENDMENT AND REPLY

Mail Stop Amendment Commissioner for Patents P. O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

This Amendment is in response to the Office Action mailed September 3, 2009, for which the Examiner has set a three-month period for response, thus making a response due on or before December 3, 2009. A Petition for a Three-month Extension of Time and the requisite fees are being submitted herewith, thus making a response due on or before March 3, 2010.

Please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 10 of this paper.